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BANK OF AMERICA GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM
(identified by Plaintiff as "Bank of America Self-Insured
Medical Plans," "Associate Life Insurance - Basic" and
"Associate Life Insurance - Supplemental Plan")

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JAMES MICHAEL BROWN,
Plaintiff,

v.

BANK OF AMERICA SELF-INSURED
MEDICAL PLANS; ASSOCIATE LIFE
INSURANCE - BASIC AND ASSOCIATE
LIFE INSURANCE - SUPPLEMENTAL
PLAN,
Defendants.

Case No. CGC-07-4844 EDL

**JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT
CONFERENCE STATEMENT**

Date: June 10, 2008
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Judge: Hon. Elizabeth Laporte

**PLAINTIFF GRANTED
PERMISSION TO APPEAR BY
TELEPHONE**

Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 16(b) and the Court's Case
Management Conference Order, the parties to the above entitled action jointly submit this case

management statement:

1. Settlement of Pending Matter

The parties have reached a tentative settlement of this matter, and are currently negotiating an agreement to that effect. Accordingly, the parties respectfully request that the Court remove pending dates in this matter from its calendar in anticipation of a request for dismissal to be filed within the next three weeks.

Dated: June 2, 2008

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Dated: June 3, 2008

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[PROPOSED] ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

HONORABLE ELIZABETH D. LAPORTE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE